

REMARKS

This paper is responsive to an Office Action dated October 31, 2005. Prior to this amendment claims 1-11 were pending. After canceling claims 10-11, claims 1-9 remain pending.

In Section 1 of the Office Action claim 11 has been rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as indefinite. Claim 11 has been canceled.

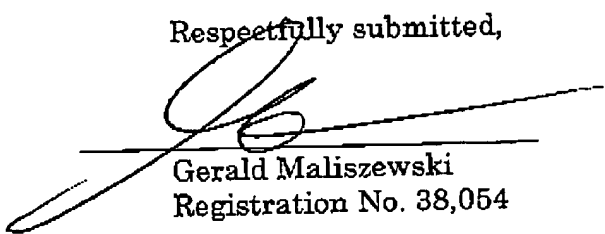
In Section 3 of the Office Action claim 10 has been rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as unpatentable with respect to Suzuki and Sundaram. Claim 10 has been canceled.

Section 4 of the Office Action states that claims 1-9 have been allowed.

It is believed that the application is in condition for allowance and reconsideration is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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